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RECORDS ADMINISTRATION PROGRAM

SECOND QUARTER REPORT

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

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RECORDS CREATION

(Forms Control, Correspondence Improvements, and Peports Management)

A. Forms Management Actions Completed this Quarter:

New Forms Designed and Issued Old Forms Revised and Issued Old Forms Obsoleted and Removed 62 (597,800 copies) 63 (1,434,400 copies) 16 (29,000 copies)

B. Other Forms Developments:

- 1. The new CSC "Application for Federal Employment" forms have been received by this Agency and issued. These 3 new forms replace the old forms 57 and 57A. We prepared a paragraph on it for the Support Bulletin.
- 2. Six new or revised FEGLI (Life Insurance) forms were ordered from GSA for our new program.
- 3. Four new and one revised Optical Scanning forms were designed and printed for Office of Computer Services and Central Reference Service.
- 4. A new "Headquarters Reassignment Questionnaire" was designed and printed for DDP. This form will be completed during 1968 by all Clandestine Services employees at the time of their Fitness Reports and then updated every two years. Field personnel will complete theirs as they return to headquarters.
- 5. Office of Finance also requested a Headquarters Reassignment Questionnaire to aid in reassignments. These will be filled out in 1968 and updated, when necessary, every two years.
- 6. Twelve new "Documentation" forms were designed by OCS/DDS&T for use in documenting computer programs and program runs.

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Reports Management

A Staff Study has been prepared on a revitalized Agency Reports Management Program. What is the current oldies?

Correspondence Improvement D.

> Work has resumed on a revision of HR 42-100-1, Correspondence Manual. When will it be completed-

RECORDS MAINTENANCE

(Records Surveys, Systems Development, Equipment and Supplies)

A. DDS

A meeting was held with Dr. and his staff Retirement Branch on improving their files system. and his staff in C/Personnel

Reviewed a request from Medical Services/A&E Branch for a Diebold "Power file". Our survey indicated a purge would eliminate over 35% of the files and permit use of less costly equipment. The OMS Records Officer agreed. This survey resulted in a cost avoidance of approximately \$2,500.

2 10 Reviewed and approved a requisition for an "Astromatic" 25X1A6a mechanized file cabinet for Office of Logistics, Warehouse. This compact model affords greater filing capacity in a smaller floor space.

Conversion from file cabinets to shelf filing in the Office of Personnel/Insurance Branch has been completed. This was necessitated by a floor space limitation and an anticipated file increase. The shelving increased capacity 28% in 67% less floor space.

Services Division -, PPB Stay the MPIC Records Officer Meetings continue with on a file system for the Management Information Systems. He on other equipment for our briefing use. also provided photos on other

DDPC.

> Several hew file equipment installations were displayed to DDP/RID/representatives and efforts made to obtain new rollers and improved tracks for their equipment.

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Miscellaneous

- Several from this staff and many component Records Officers attended the Office Equipment display and Symposium on Mechanizing the Information Process conducted by National Archives and Records Service.
- 2. Studied a new self stacking box for storing, shipping, and retrieving magnetic tape reels -- no shelving is required. Initial rejection of proposal is being re-studied.

VITAL RECORDS

(Storage of Data for Emergency or to Reconstitute Destroyed Offices)

A. Scheduling

Revised Vital Records Deposit Schedules were received, reviewed and approved for Office of Security and Office of Planning, Programming and Budgeting.

B. Deposits

- 1. This quarter 237 cubic feet of current Vital Records were received at the Relocation Site and 130 cubic feet were destroyed or transferred from the Records Center.
- 2. Discussions have been held with Records Officers whose offices are deposting records in a media that will require special equipment; (i.e., tapes, cartridge type microfilm, NPIC films, and map negatives.) Present emergency equipment, at relocation, is not useable with this material. The Agency's Emergency Planning Officer has been made aware of this current inadequacy.

RECORDS DISPOSITION

(Inventories, Scheduling, Storage, and Archives)

Α.	Records	Center	Activities	this	Quarter:	(Cubic feet))

Records Received for Storage 3,608
Records Removed for Destruction 1,082
Records Transferred out of Center 549
Net Growth 1,977

Priority Deliveries 7 special Runs
Records Services 18,231 items delivered
Supplemental Distribution Copies 11,295 items delivered
Briefings and Visitors 162 people

(Includes historians, CT'S, office representatives, students, etc.)

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The new Security alarm system in the Records Center is still not operational.

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The first accession of Archival Maps (16 cubic feet) was received from OBGI. Mr. Chief, Cartography Division furnished the Archives and Records Center with an index to these maps and a brief narrative history of Intelligence Map productions dating back to 1941.

A reproduction of our Archives map negative location file was sent to OBGI. This will be used to review all negatives and identify any that can be destroyed.

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At the end of FY 1968 we had 18,099 cubic feet of records at

A Survey of the Archives and Records Center has been completed and the report forwarded to SSS.

B. Scheduling

DDI

- 1. Miss of this staff and Mr. the DDI Records
 Officer inventoried the Special Research Staff and prepared a
 Records Control Schedule.
- 2. Received, reviewed, and approved revised Records Control Schedules for Office of Economic Reports and Central Reference Staff. 7

DDP

- 1. Approved revision to TSD/GARB Records Control Schedule.
- 2. A Records Retention Plan for the permanent records of DDP has been drafted and delivered to the DDP/RMO for review.

DCI

Reviewed and approved a completely revised Records Control Schedule for the Audit Staff.

DDS

- 1. Reviewed and approved a complete revision to the Office of Security Records Control Schedule. The volume of records reflected by this schedule amounted to 13,024 cubic feet.
- 2. Reviewed and approved Records Control Schedule for Office of Personnel/Placement Division.

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PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT dance and Standards as Required by HK 70-1) Records Orientations Given: Three presentations on the "Records Administration Program" were given to a total of 104 employees and 22 Career Trainees. Records Training Received: 25X1A9a attended the annual National Microfilm Association Convention in Chicago to note developments in Microfilm, aperture cards, video tape, and microfiche techniques. 25X1A9a attended the ADP Systems Develop-2. ment Process (Brandon Course). 25X1A9a attended the Annual Conference of the Association of Records Executives. Messers 25X1A9a attended an "Information for Management" session 25X1A9a at the Department of State. MISCELLANEOUS Presidential Libraries 25X1A9a met with Col. White and Mr. Houston on the Presidential Libraries Collection. A Committee chaired by Mr. will select material for the Libraries and route it through this staff National Archines. B. DDP/RMO Meeting 25X1A9a attended a meeting of the DDP Records Management Officers chaired by Mr. This 25X1A9a is the first such invitation received by this Central Staff. C. Mircofilming Techniques Received through the National Archives three articles in Danish, Hungarian and Polish pertaining to microfilming techniques used in copying official records. The articles are being translated and copies will be given to TSD and CI Staff. has been reelected as Vice Chairman to the rement Council for Ex 1968 - 1969. This Council Several OCS proposed Records Management regulations have been

reviewed by this staff.

Approved For Release 1999/09/01 An outline for the BALPA Project was prepared by this staff. of the Archives and Records Center has 25X1A9a developed an improved system for storing extra copies of Agency Regulations. CONFERENCE SCURDS me hundred and twenty Agency Records Officers, and Historians attended the Records Officers Spring Conference. The subject was History, Records Retention Plan, and Archives. The principal speaker was Dr. Rhoads the Archivist for the United States, and Mass annerman CURRENT ACTIVITIES A file survey is underway in the Office of Training, Language School.

Workshops to train the SIPS staff on Forms Management.

A request was received from

DDS, SSS to provide 3-day 25X1A9a